

MISSING GIRL IN THE SURF.

BODY OF JANE ADAMS SHOWS INDICATIONS OF MURDER

Police Hunting for William Seyler, Married, Last Seen With Her at a Pier Dance—His Brother Arvis, Escort of

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Feb. 13.—The body of Jane Adams, who has been missing since she spent the evening on the pier on Friday, February 4, was found in the breakers off Harrisburg avenue, Ventnor, to-day. She was 18 years old and the daughter of Charles Adams of this city. Still clad in the dress which

The police have started a search for William Seyler, a young married man of this city, who was the last person seen in Miss Adams's company and who disappeared on the day following her disappearance. The search is also being

The face of the dead girl was battered by the breakers. The surgeons who examined the body this afternoon found a deep hole over the left eye which they say was made before death. No bullet could be found in the skull, and the only other explanation for the wound is that it might have been caused by the head striking a sharp nail as the girl fell from the pier. No formal charges have been

have begun a chase for the Seylers, who will be asked to explain their movements on the night of the girl's disappearance. Mrs. Seyler, wife of the missing man, who was left with two small children in a small

Before the discovery of the girl's body had assured the police of her death, a search had been started for Miss Adams and Seyler on a warrant sworn out before Magistrate Joseph Donnelly by the girl's mother, who believed that her daughter had eloped with the young married man. No direct appeal had been made to the

Miss Adams, who had been employed in Boardwalk shops, started out with Alice, her sixteen-year-old sister, for a visit to the pier after permission had been secured from their parents, who are poor people living at 210 North Missouri avenue. The mother of the girls knew that the younger child was to be accompanied by Arvis Seyler, and the police learned to-day that after the girls left home with Arvis, who is just of age and unmarried, they were met by William Seyler, who lived with his wife a few blocks

away from the Adams house. According to the younger girl all four went to the pier, where they watched the dancers for a time, and then strolled out to the end of the big structure. When the younger girl and her escort started back toward the Boardwalk she called the elder girl, and the police have learned that William Seyler held her while he persuaded her to stay with him.

According to statements of the Adams family Arvis Seyler returned home with the younger daughter. The mother, who had become suspicious of former relatives,

Seyler, met young Seyler and Alice at the door and asked where Jane was. After she had wrung reluctant statements from the two that they had left Jane with the elder Seyler Mrs. Adams rushed to the Seyler home where she saved the found-

"I was frightened nearly to death and

Later that night Mrs. Adams again became concerned and left her bed to make another visit to the Seyler home. At that time, she declares, she failed to see

Seyler, who has been employed at odd jobs during the winter, could not be found the next day when at the behest of the mother Magistrate Donnelly issued a warrant charging him with abducting her daughter. Supposing that the two had left the city together, the mother started to trace them and said several days ago that she thought they were living together at some place outside the city.

dead was aroused. This morning the body was seen hobbling in the breakers, the

Horace Monroe and William Hammel, motorman and conductor of the Chelsea electric car running along close to the beach in Ventnor. Halting the car, the men ran to the beach and dragged the corpse above the tide line, while early promenaders on the Boardwalk summoned

The underclothes were badly torn and there were other indications of violence. The police believe the girl was injured in a struggle that preceded her death.

Mrs. Adams insists that her daughter had no reason to commit suicide.

"Janey was a good girl and if she did

Mrs. Seyler, the young wife of the missing man, is prostrated. She has a baby less than a month old and has been in destitute circumstances since the depart-

The police discovered late to-night that Seyler was working for a construction firm in Longport when he left the city. It is understood that he received notice from friends that he was about to be arrested on the charge of taking the Adams girl from her home. He was in the city for an hour after the police were surprised to learn of the departure from the city of Arvis Seyler, who had been attentive to the younger Adams girl. No warrants has been issued for his arrest. It is believed that he is with his brother.

The police at midnight to-night issued

his arrest was sent to every city of the country. According to the police description he is 26 years old, about 5 feet tall and of spare build, with brown hair. When last seen he wore a dark gray overcoat with black undercoat and light trousers and a slouch hat. He also wore buttoned gaiters well worn.

1. The first part of the document is a list of names and addresses, which appears to be a directory or a list of contacts. The names are written in a cursive script, and the addresses are listed below them. The list includes names such as "J. H. Smith", "W. J. Jones", and "A. B. Brown", among others.